

The New Orleans correspondent of the New York World, under date of 24th January, writes as follows:—"Only last Wednesday an officer reported to the chief of police that, while attempting to execute a warrant from the provost court and also an order from the provost marshal, he was set upon by a number of colored soldiers belonging to Colonel Stafford's regiment, and (his report says) "his life was only saved by the exertions of the officers and his timely flight." The warrant was not executed. To complete the programme, the officer was arrested by another policeman, and in the general row both were badly beaten and abused. To the negro—the actual, not the ideal negro—liberty means license or anything but labor."

L. W. Hall, of Bucyrus, Ohio, died last Sunday at his home in that place, aged about 50 years. Last fall, while in delicate health, he was arrested, taken to Camp Mansfield, and there incarcerated as a political prisoner. He was unconditionally released some time ago, and went home to die—his death having been hastened by what he endured while in durance. He was for some years a Common Pleas Judge, served a term in Congress, and was a man of acknowledged abilities.

Major Reid Saunders, with his dispatches, was captured by being betrayed by the crew of his yacht. As soon as they got out of Charleston harbor the crew tied him and steered for the fleet and delivered him up. This accounts for his dispatches not being sent to the bottom.

The latest reports relative to the Confederate steamer Oreto or Florida, are that she had been chased into Havana by the Federal war steamers, where she remained long enough to take in coal. She then started for Cardenas, but was discovered by the Cayuga, the Cuyler and other vessels, which started in pursuit of her. She had on a full head of steam, but was closely pursued by the Cuyler. Finding her case desperate, she steered for the Bahama Islands, where she was overtaken, when a shell from the Cuyler set her on fire and totally destroyed her. The news reached Havana on Tuesday, and was confirmed the following day by the arrival of the Creole, a vessel that had spoken the Cayuga the day before.

Resolutions were introduced in the New Jersey Assembly, yesterday, declaring that Jersey is not willing to be taxed for the purpose of emancipating slaves in Missouri, and that such purpose is not binding in law or equity, and will not be regarded in the light of an obligation. The resolutions were referred to the proper Committee.

The publication of the Philadelphia Evening Journal has been resumed. Mr. Boileau publishes a letter, signed at Fort McHenry, saying, "those who supposed we were other than a Union Democrat have been mistaken. We advance the claims of the Democratic party, because now that party are the friends of the Union. He is no Democrat who is not unqualifiedly in favor of the Union."

The price of board at the leading N. York hotels was put up to three dollars yesterday.—At this price the proprietors declare they will not realize as much as they did before the inflation of the currency. The second class hotels have put their board up to two dollars.—The advance has not reached private boarding houses and restaurants.

Quite an excitement was created in Baltimore yesterday morning by an indiscriminate assault made on the colored people by a body of about two hundred soldiers belonging to the California regiment from Philadelphia. At the corner of Pratt and Gay streets several colored men were knocked down and beat, and when policemen Frew and Biddlemen interfered for their protection, they were assaulted and defied. The assaults were made from the President street depot to the Camden station where they took a train and left the city. The affair occurred at an early hour in the morning when the draymen and laborers were assembling for their work, but they were quickly dispersed and did not again venture on Pratt street until the soldiers had all left.

A Cuban named Henry San Pedro was arrested in New York yesterday by Detective Smith for assuming the character of a special officer, and under such assumption making a number of arrests of pickpockets. It appears that Pedro had a peculiar passion for the business of a detective, and desired to be one. As he could not legally obtain the object of his ambition he procured authority to wear the shield of special deputy sheriff, and passed himself as an officer.

Gen. Butler, has charged himself, in his account with the War Department, with one million eighty-eight thousand dollars, money received by him from military assessments, confiscations of Confederate property, and fines of Confederates at New Orleans.

The New York Legislature yesterday elected on the first ballot, ex-Governor Morgan as U. S. Senator for six years from the 4th of March next. The result is considered not only as a defeat of the Peace Democracy but also a defeat of the radical faction of the Republican party.

James Tilghman of John, has been arrested near Centreville, Md., and another, on the charge of participating in the destruction of the sloop Hard Times, near Centreville. They were arrested by order of the U. S. War Department, and confined in Fort McHenry on last Monday afternoon. They were arrested last Friday night.

There is a difference of opinion among the Philadelphia Judges in the Boileau case.—Judge Ludlow ordered the District Attorney to prepare indictments. But Judge Allison, of the same Court, directed the District Attorney to send no such indictment until directed by the majority of the Court.

An intensely shocking murder has been committed in Columbia county, Pennsylvania—a woman having massacred her three step-children, aged seven, nine and fourteen years.

Major General A. McD. Cook was married to Miss Kate Phillips, in Dayton, on Thursday at the residence of J. D. Phillips, Esq., the bride's father. The wedding was attended by several Major and Brigadier Generals, with their staffs, ex-Governor Dennison, and a large and brilliant party of ladies and gentlemen besides.

Monday last, being the day when the semi-annual interest of the public debt of Pennsylvania fell due, the State Treasurer, Mr. Slifer, appeared at Philadelphia and commenced paying it in gold.

George Sanderson, Democrat, has been re-elected Mayor of Lancaster, Pa., 265 majority.

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